

Griffith Asks Dail to Ratify Treaty

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George early in the negotiations, saying the Government proposed making Ireland equal with the other British dominions and to secure for Ireland place in the League of Nations.

Griffith Defends Agreement
Arthur Griffith, in the course of his speech opening debate on ratification, said the point in dispute was with regard to the recognition of the King.

Mr. Griffith said this was the first treaty signed between England and Ireland and since the year 1721. It recognizes the Irish Free State, the Irish army and Irish control of the purse.

Mr. Griffith said if the treaty were rejected and Ireland went to war again, she would be fighting against the world. He declared the Irish plenipotentiaries went to London to perform as difficult a task as could be placed on the shoulders of man.

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